

Property Name: 518 North Main Street      Inventory Number: WA-II-809

Owner: Joseph & Anna Secondari

Tax Map Number: 600

Agency: Maryland State Highway Administration

Staff:           no   X   yes

Date: June 1999

Eligibility **not** recommended

Considerations: —A —B —C —D —E —F —G X None

Is district listed? X no      yes

Description of Property and Eligibility Determination: *(Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map and photo)*

No. 518 N. Main Street is a one-and-one-half-story, cross-gabled, detached, single family dwelling. The bungalow is faced in rusticated uncoursed ashlar. There is a central corbel-capped brick chimney. The one-story, four-bay porch incorporates a port-cochere on the north side. A garage north of house is stone with a hipped-roof and two garage bays. This house, which appears to date to the 1920s, is a contributing resource to the Town of Boonsboro Historic District.

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**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST REVIEW**

Eligibility recommended X Eligibility not recommended \_\_\_\_\_

Criteria: \_\_\_A\_\_\_B\_\_\_C\_\_\_D Considerations: \_\_\_A\_\_\_B\_\_\_C\_\_\_D\_\_\_E\_\_\_F\_\_\_G\_\_\_None

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services \_\_\_\_\_ Date 12/1/99  
Reviewer, NR program \_\_\_\_\_ Date 10/12/00

**PRESERVATION VISION 2000; THE MARYLAND PLAN  
STATEWIDE HISTORIC CONTEXTS****I. Geographic Region:**

- ☐ Eastern Shore (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil)  
☐ Western Shore (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Prince George's and St. Mary's)  
☐ Piedmont (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery)  
☒ Western Maryland (Allegany, Garrett and Washington)

**II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:**

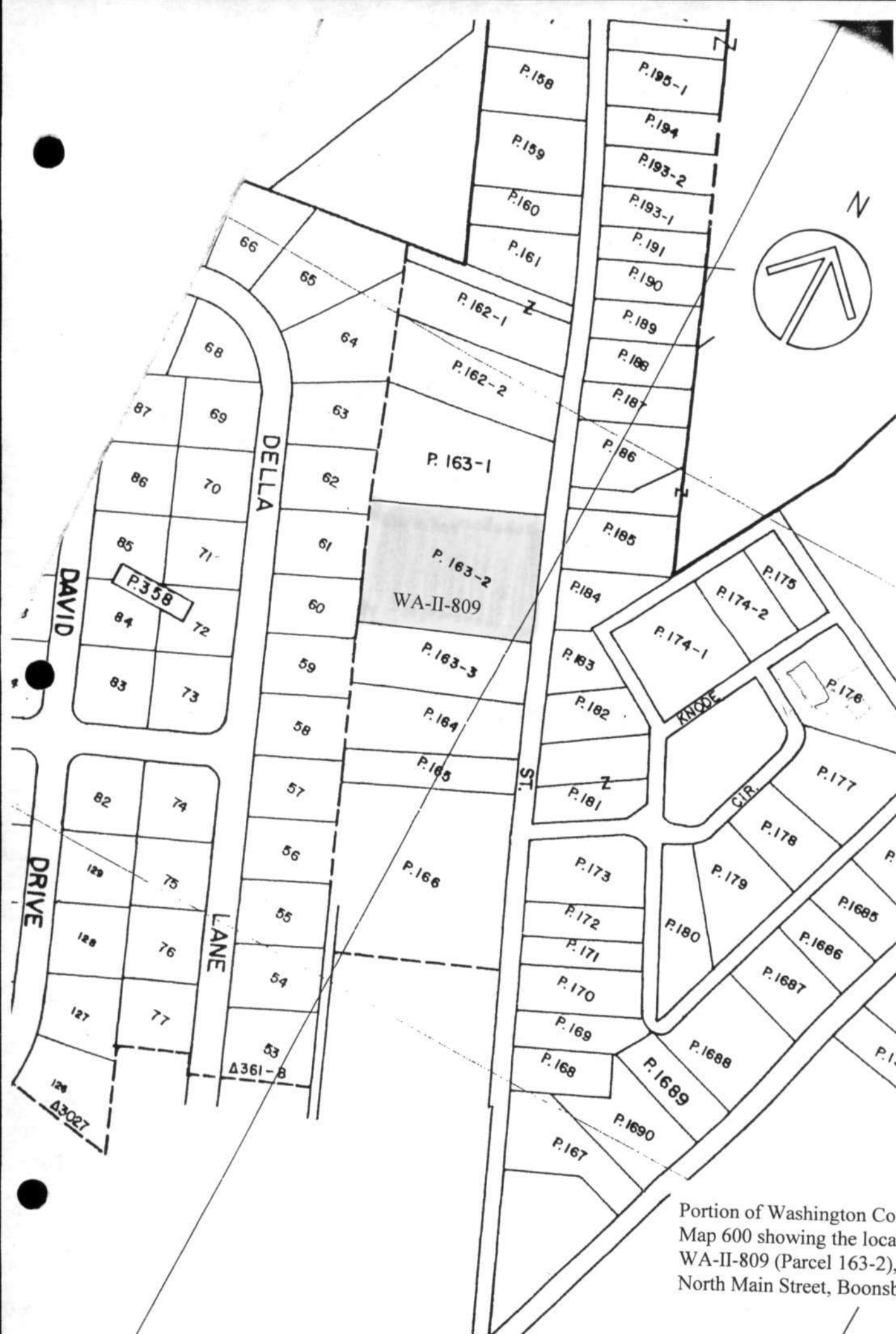
- ☐ Rural Agrarian Intensification A.D. 1680-1815  
☐ Agricultural-Industrial Transition A.D. 1815-1870  
☒ Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930  
☐ Modern Period A.D. 1930-Present  
☐ Unknown Period ( ☐ prehistoric ☐ historic)

**III. Historic Period Themes:**

- ☐ Agriculture  
☒ Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning  
☐ Economic (Commercial and Industrial)  
☐ Government/Law  
☐ Military  
☐ Religion  
☐ Social/Educational/Cultural  
☐ Transportation

**IV. Resource Type:**

Category: Building  
Historic Environment: Village  
Historic Function(s) and Use(s): DOMESTIC/single dwelling  
Known Design Source: none



Portion of Washington Co., MD Tax Map 600 showing the location of WA-II-809 (Parcel 163-2), 518 North Main Street, Boonsboro, MD



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neg: MD SHPO

looking SW at main house



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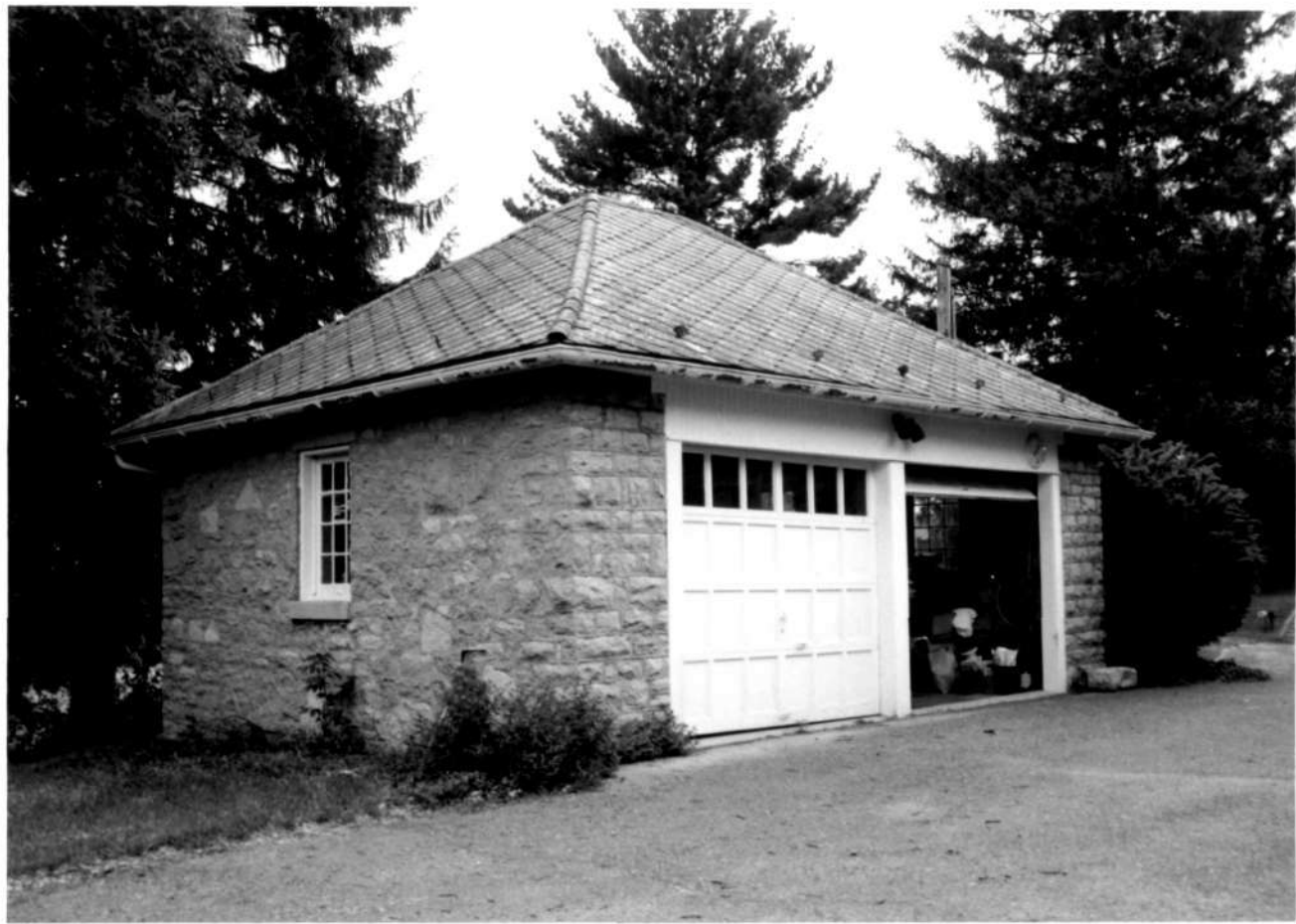
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looking SW at frontyard of  
main house. 504 (WA-11-810)  
and 502 (WA-11-811) N. Main  
in background.





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looking NE at out building



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looking SE at Main house

SITE NUMBER: WA-II-809

ADDRESS: 518 North Main Street, Boonsboro, MD

OWNER/LOT NUMBER/ACCESS: private

BUILDING DATE: 1910s-1920s?

518 North Main Street is an impressive, east-facing, one-and-a-half-story, stone, freestanding, bungalow. The building is set high on a hill above the street on a landscaped lot with large mature trees. The stone is set in a random ashlar pattern. The bracketed open eave, cross-gable roof is covered with asbestos shingling and has one small dormer on the south facade in the elbow of the cross gables. The porch wraps around the facade and south elevation and is supported on battered posts constructed of stone. The entrance is composed of a multi-light door flanked by multi-paned sidelights above recessed panels. Windows are double-hung, twelve-over-one sash. The front yard has stone posts at the sidewalk.

Although none of the historic maps of Boonsboro extends this far north, the construction of the building can be dated stylistically to the 1910s or 1920s.

The building is within the Western Maryland Geographic Organization, the Development Period of Industrial/Urban Dominance, and falls within the Historic Period Theme of Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning.

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